

**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Miller, Lisa M on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 22, 2010 5:42 PM  
**To:** Humphrey, Kerry S  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox; EEB-A-PD-DL; Hall, Ruth M; Thurman, Stephan S  
**Subject:** FW: Request approval by COB pls on article for Foreign Service Journal: Top 14 Current Economic Wonkisms

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Abigail Morales clears for PA. Thanks.

*Lisa M. Miller* for "PA Clearances Mailbox"  
Bureau of Public Affairs, HST, Room 6800  
Special Assistant  
U.S. Department of State  
Tel: 202-647-6197  
[MillerLM@state.gov](mailto:MillerLM@state.gov)

**REVIEW AUTHORITY:**  
Barbara Nielsen, Senior  
Reviewer

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**From:** Humphrey, Kerry S [<mailto:HumphreyKS@state.gov>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 22, 2010 3:35 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Cc:** EEB-A-PD-DL; Hall, Ruth M; Thurman, Stephan S  
**Subject:** Request approval by COB pls on article for Foreign Service Journal: Top 14 Current Economic Wonkisms

Request clearance please on the attached article for the next issue of the American Foreign Service Association's Foreign Service Journal on the attached article which has been cleared by our PDAS. We need to get to the editor ASAP as they are going to publication this week before the holiday. Thank you!

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*Kerry S. Humphrey*  
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**From:** Powell, Tanya A on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Friday, November 26, 2010 12:28 PM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox; Alexander, MJ  
**Subject:** FW: ethics question re: Freedom House reports

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[redacted]  
Please see the e-mail message below from PA/HO David Nickles which serves as PA's clearance.

REVIEW  
AUTHORITY:  
Barbara Nielsen,  
Senior Reviewer

I do not foresee that the publication of these two reports will cause any difficulties for the Department of State. I say this despite the fact the both deal with extremely controversial subjects.

The two reports are based mainly on media and ngo reporting that is cited in footnotes. For this reason, the US Government should be able to distance itself from the reports, especially given the author's use of the disclaimer. Both reports deal with their subjects in factual and objective terms, although elements in both the Thai and Burmese governments will still find them annoying, given the criticism of human rights violations. Nonetheless, as the information in these reports is widely accepted and not based on privileged DOS information, I see no reason why their publication should produce any particular problems for the Department of State.

David Nickles

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Thanks,  
Tanya

**From:** [redacted] (S/P) [mailto: [redacted]@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Friday, November 19, 2010 2:58 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Cc:** Alexander, MJ; [redacted]@state.gov  
**Subject:** RE: ethics question re: Freedom House reports

Dear PA;

I work independently as a consultant for the *Freedom in the World* publication. Attached are my drafts on Thailand and Burma that I have submitted to Freedom House, the publisher. These drafts are subject to an editing process by Freedom House, but aren't likely to change substantively. Alex in L recommended that I obtain clearance. Please let me know if there is anything else you need.

Best,

[redacted]  
Office of Policy Planning

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**From:** Alexander, MJ  
**Sent:** Friday, November 19, 2010 12:29 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED] (S/P)  
**Subject:** RE: ethics question re: Freedom House reports

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[REDACTED] - yes, I would recommend sending through PA. [paclearances@state.gov](mailto:paclearances@state.gov)

Best Regards,

Alex  
M. J. Alexander, Esq.  
Ethics Counselor  
L/EMP-Ethics  
(202) 663-3096

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**From:** [REDACTED] (S/P)  
**Sent:** Thursday, November 18, 2010 5:33 PM  
**To:** Alexander, MJ  
**Subject:** RE: ethics question re: Freedom House reports

Alex,

Just a follow up to this conversation (which we had back in July!). Do I need to submit my work for Freedom House to PA for review/clearance?

Thanks,  
[REDACTED]

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**From:** Alexander, MJ  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 28, 2010 4:14 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED] (S/P)  
**Subject:** RE: ethics question re: Freedom House reports

[REDACTED]  
Thanks for sending your question in. [REDACTED]

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Best Regards,

Alex  
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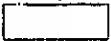
**From:** [REDACTED] (S/P)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 27, 2010 5:58 PM  
**To:** Ethics Attorney Mailbox  
**Subject:** ethics question re: Freedom House reports

Dear Ethics Attorneys,

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I hope this information is useful, and of course please let me know if you have further questions. I look forward to hearing from you.

Best,



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**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Powell, Tanya A on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Tuesday, November 23, 2010 3:01 PM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: clearance for personal writing

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**REVIEW AUTHORITY:** Barbara Nielsen,  
 Senior Reviewer

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Per your article on "A New 'Democratic Life' For The European Union? Administrative Lawmaking And the Lisbon Treaty", please be advised that you need to include a disclaimer in a footnote to say you are employed at State, are writing in your personal capacity and your writing does not necessarily reflect the views of the State Dept or the U.S. government. Below is the disclaimer:

The author is an employee of the U.S. Department of State. Any views expressed herein are solely those of the author and do not necessarily reflect those of the U.S. Department of State and of the United States Government.

Thanks,  
 Tanya

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**From:** [redacted] [mailto: [redacted]@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Monday, November 22, 2010 10:56 AM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** clearance for personal writing

Dear Madam or Sir,

I have written a short article that has been offered publication in an academic journal. The article does not concern the work of my office, or even of DoS, directly. It is, however, on a topic of international affairs (though a rather obscure, academic one...). Therefore, I have been advised to seek review/clearance for its publication. I will be publishing it in my personal capacity, listing only my academic affiliation, not my affiliation w/ DoS.

Attached please find the article. Excluding footnotes, it is only about 5 pages long. If I can provide any additional information, please do not hesitate to ask. (And, I apologize in advance if I am sending this to the wrong place for clearance of personal writings!)

Thank you for your consideration – I sincerely appreciate your help!

[redacted]  
 [redacted]

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**From:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 28, 2010 9:26 AM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** Clearance of your chapters

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[redacted] PA clears your chapters on Sudan for the Library of Congress publication.  
Sorry for the delay.  
Best,  
Lois Herrmann for PA Clearances Mailbox

**REVIEW AUTHORITY: Barbara Nielsen,**  
**Senior Reviewer**

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**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

From: PA Clearances Mailbox  
Sent: Thursday, October 07, 2010 10:41 AM  
To: [redacted]  
Cc: PA Clearances Mailbox  
Subject: RE: American Review magazine

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[redacted] PA and NEA clear your article. We suggest the use of a disclaimer. Something along the following lines:

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Abigail Morales for PA Clearances mailbox

REVIEW AUTHORITY: Barbara Nielsen, Senior Reviewer

-----Original Message-----

From: [redacted] [mailto:[redacted]@cfr.org]  
Sent: Monday, September 13, 2010 12:25 PM  
To: PA Clearances Mailbox  
Subject: FW: American Review magazine

Please review for clearance. This article has been accepted for publication in next month's American Review journal in Australia.

Many regards,

From: [redacted]  
Sent: Thursday, September 09, 2010 1:52 PM  
To: Editor, American Review  
Subject: RE: American Review magazine

Hi Minh,

Sorry to hear about the power failure. I reworked the piece and hope it reads better. I tried to incorporate as many suggestions as possible, although I refrained from commenting too much about Afghanistan or Iran as these need whole articles in themselves and are not my areas of expertise. My real concern is that we are not doing enough on the refugee issue. There seems to be the attitude that they will all return once things improve in Iraq. Some may return, but not for a long time and certainly not without a functioning government or until they see what happens after the US withdraws. Most will not. We are creating another Palestinian issue that will come back to bite us in 20 years.

Best,

From: Editor, American Review [mailto:[editor@](mailto:editor@)]  
Sent: Thursday, September 09, 2010 3:22 AM  
To: [REDACTED]  
Subject: Re: American Review magazine

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[REDACTED]

Here 'tis. As I'm not at my desk (due to power failure) and using a laptop, I don't have the tracked changes facility and so have to use this crude cut and paste method - apologies. I hope it makes sense and you're happy with the suggestions. And as they are just suggestions, please take them or leave them as per your wont. Thanks very much for this. It's a strong piece overall.

Regards, Minh

We Should Stay and We Should Go

1. Introduction - By end of August US troops had withdrawn from Iraq as per Obama's drawdown policy...

The opening needs to be punchier, i.e., On 31 August, President Obama officially ended America's occupation of Iraq. Operation New Dawn ... It would be ideal in the opening paragraphs to have a brief history of the invasion and occupation; a rundown of the costs and benefits; and the controversy surrounding it, etc.

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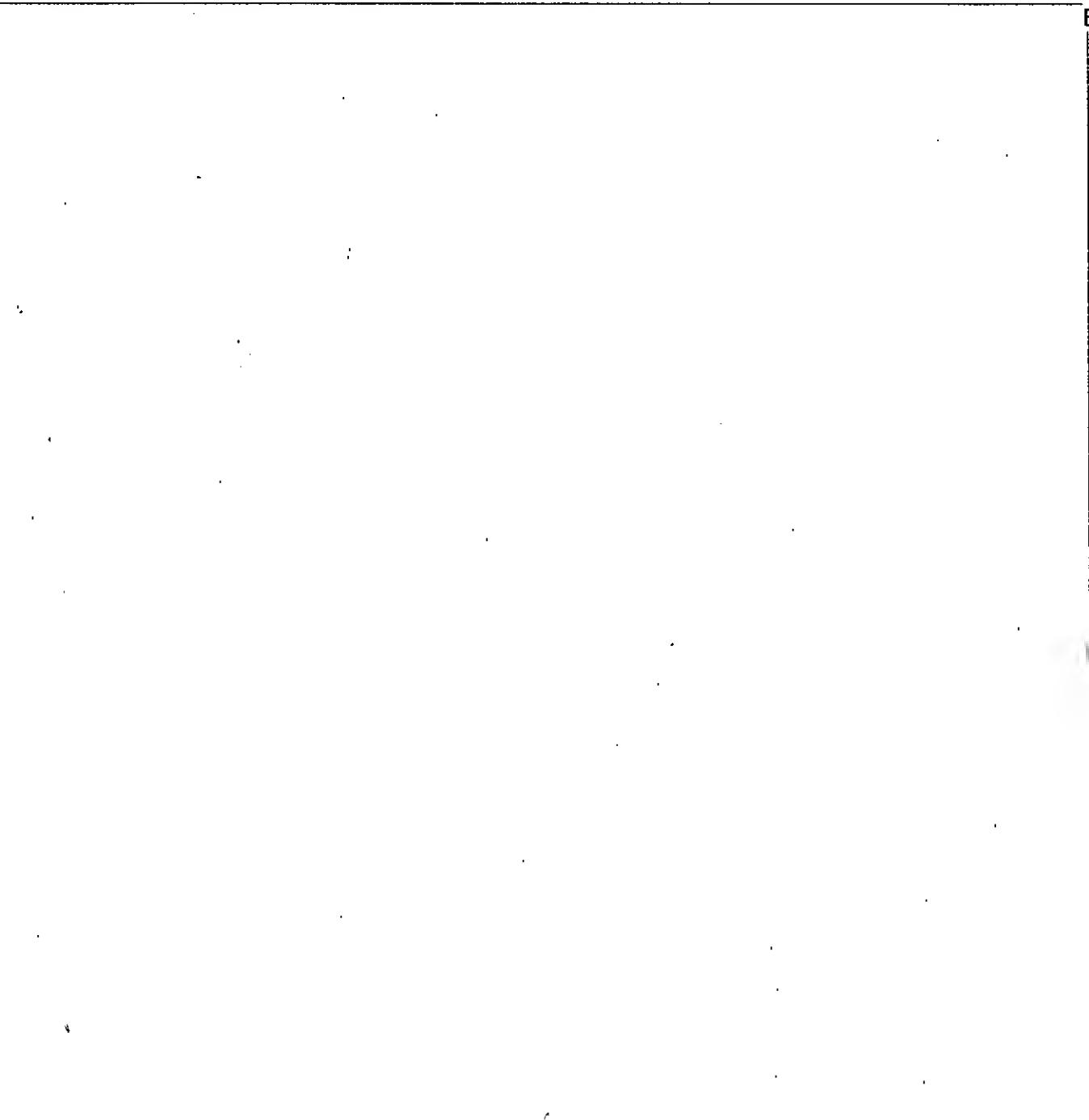
2. There are arguments for staying and arguments for leaving - short par on the pros and cons of each

[REDACTED]

3. Implications for Iraq - self-government, this is the essence of your essay, and should form the heart of your essay

This section is good, just needs to be tightened a bit.

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4. Implications for the US

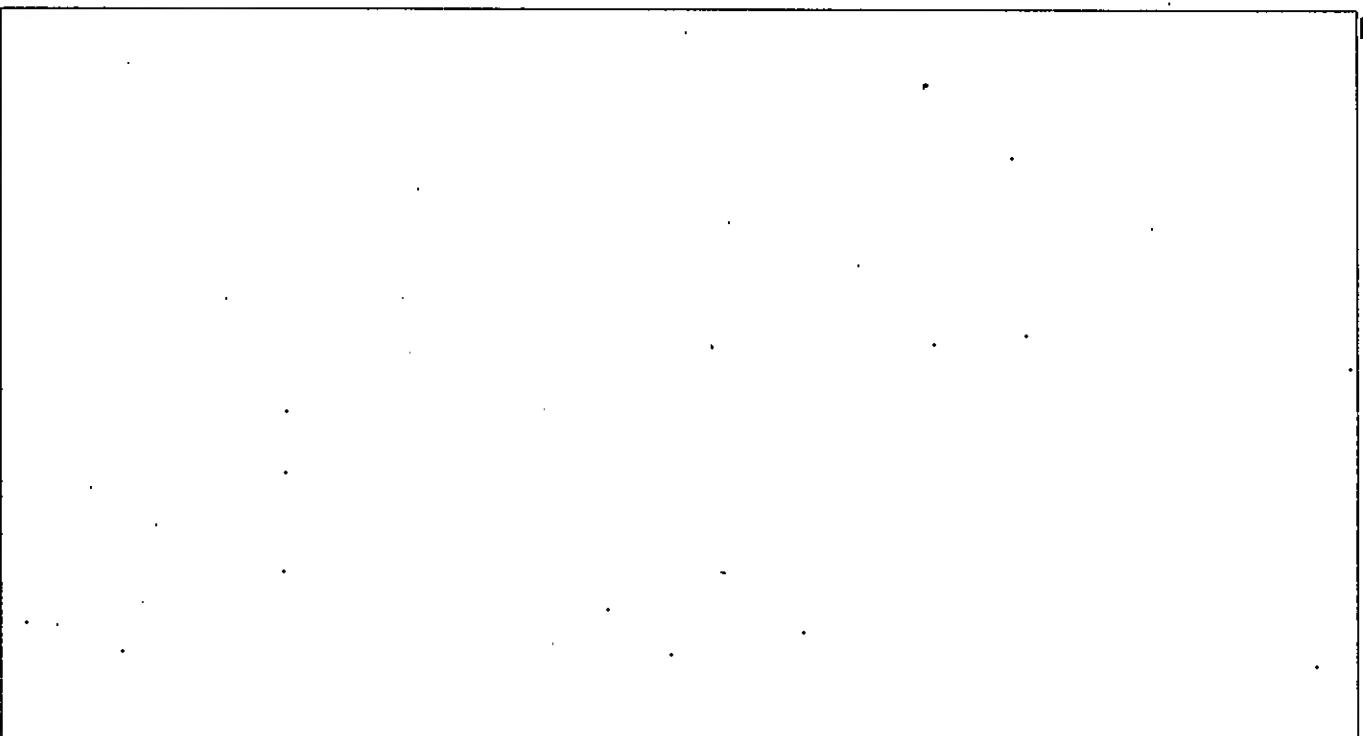
It would be quite good to say a bit about the withdrawal to the US's Middle East policy and its other war, i.e. Iran and Afghanistan. Also, what happens to US's reputation if things fall apart.

5. Conclusion - the final paragraph, as you have it, is very good.



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On 07/09/2010, at 4:05 PM, [redacted]

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Hi Minh,

Thanks for the suggestions. I would be happy to rework it. Could you do me a favor and send the article back to me with your comments in tracked changes or marked some other way? That is, mark in the text the parts that are hard to follow and/or unclear, as well as the parts you don't want me to change. That way, I can focus my efforts rather than trying to rewrite the whole thing.

Thanks,  
[redacted]

From: Minh Bui Jones [editor]  
Sent: Tuesday, September 07, 2010 3:11 AM  
To: [redacted]  
Subject: Re: American Review magazine  
Dear [redacted]

Many thanks for the early draft. I have had a careful read of it. It needs a bit of reworking. You have good stuff here but the essay as a whole lacks a structure. Maybe this is a result of the length and the complex nature of the subject. As it is though, it doesn't read well and is hard to follow. I suggest using the following structure to organise the various paragraphs under these sub-headings. For example,

1. Introduction - By need of August US troops had withdrawn from Iraq as per Obama's drawdown policy...

2. There are arguments for staying and arguments for leaving - short par on the pros and cons of each
3. Implications for Iraq - self-government, this is the essence of your essay, and should form the heart of your essay
4. Implications for the US
5. Conclusion - the final paragraph, as you have it, is very good.

Would you be able to do this? It would make a big difference. I would be much obliged.

Regards, Minh

On Sun, Sep 5, 2010 at 1:08 AM, [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> mailto:[REDACTED] wrote:  
Hello Minh,

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Please find attached my draft article. I know this is pretty early, but I am traveling next week and want to make sure I get it in before I leave. I will still have e-mail, just not tons of time to work on writing.

I still have to send the article through the clearance process at the State Department. Once I have your edits back I will forward it on to the appropriate office at State.

Many regards,

[REDACTED]  
From: Minh Bui Jones [editor [REDACTED]]<mailto:editor [REDACTED]>  
Sent: Thursday, August 19, 2010 10:47 AM  
To: [REDACTED]  
Subject: Re: American Review magazine  
Dear [REDACTED]

Thanks for your reply. Yes, it is as you described it, revise the World Today piece, but if you feel inclined to start afresh, by all means, the subject remains: why the American withdrawal from Iraq was the right policy. The length is 1500 words, deadline October 1 and fee \$US1000. Please let me know if this sounds fine with you.

Regards, Minh

On Thu, Aug 19, 2010 at 6:54 PM, [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> mailto:[REDACTED] wrote:  
Dear Minh,

Thank you very much for your message. I would like very much to contribute to the American Review and would like some guidance on the revision process. As I understand it, you would like to print a new article but I would be able to work off of the piece I wrote for The World Today. What are the guidelines in terms of numbers of words? What time frame? Thanks much and many regards,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
From: Minh Bui Jones [editor [REDACTED]]<mailto:editor [REDACTED]>  
Sent: Wednesday, August 18, 2010 10:50 PM  
To: [REDACTED]  
Subject: American Review magazine

[Redacted]

I edit a foreign affairs magazine called American Review, which is published twice yearly by the United States Studies Centre at the University of Sydney, Australia. The mission of the magazine and the centre is to widen and deepen Australia's understanding and knowledge of American politics and society. Although it was launched in November last year, it has attracted notable contributors like James Fallows, Rob Shapiro, Steve Walt, Josef Joffe, Bill Emmott, John Ikenberry and Stephen Kinzer.

I read your piece in the August edition of The World Today, "Iraq and the American Pullout: Separate We Must". I thought you articulated very clearly the reasons why America should withdraw from Iraq, and you didn't flinch from setting out the grim scenarios of an Iraq after a US withdrawal. As Australia has also committed troops in Iraq, I thought your piece would make a valuable contribution to the public debate here. Thus I'm writing to seek your interest in revising the said piece for an Australian audience.

Would this interest you? I'd be grateful for any contribution you care to make. Please let me know.

Regards,

Minh Bui Jones  
Editor, American Review  
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Editor, American Review

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**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 06, 2010 12:52 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: ABA International Refugee Newsletter

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Yikes, please let me know as I translated your response as answering both requests and sent this information to my editor as she is quite desperate.

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**From:** PA Clearances Mailbox [mailto:[paclearances@state.gov](mailto:paclearances@state.gov)]  
**Sent:** Wed 10/6/2010 9:35 AM

**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: ABA International Refugee Newsletter

**REVIEW AUTHORITY:** Barbara Nielsen, Senior Reviewer

[REDACTED]: No, this clearance is for the ABA article only. Your other request is still under consideration in NEA. I will send a message this morning asking about its status.

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Abigail Morales for PA Clearances mailbox

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**From:** [REDACTED] [mailto:[REDACTED]@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 05, 2010 7:13 PM

**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: ABA International Refugee Newsletter

Thanks. Just to clarify, this is for both articles, right?

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**From:** PA Clearances Mailbox [mailto:[paclearances@state.gov](mailto:paclearances@state.gov)]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 05, 2010 4:26 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** PA-SCG-DL; PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: ABA International Refugee Newsletter  
**Importance:** High +

[REDACTED] I forgot to advise the use of a disclaimer. Something along the following lines:

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\*\*\*\*Abigail

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**From:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 05, 2010 4:22 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]

**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox; PA-SCG-DL  
**Subject:** RE: ABA International Refugee Newsletter

[REDACTED] NEA clears as well. You have clearances now from PA, PRM, CA and NEA so you can proceed.

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We apologize for delay.

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Abigail Morales for PA Clearances mailbox

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**From:** [REDACTED] [mailto: [REDACTED]@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 05, 2010 2:17 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: ABA International Refugee Newsletter

Hi-

Just checking again on the status of these 2 articles still awaiting NEA clearance.

Many thanks- [REDACTED]

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thu 9/30/2010 2:09 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: ABA International Refugee Newsletter

FYI - PRM and CA have cleared -- now awaiting NEA clearance. Thanks.

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**From:** [REDACTED] [mailto: [REDACTED]@cfr.org]  
**Sent:** Monday, September 20, 2010 5:44 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox; Fleming, John T  
**Subject:** FW: ABA International Refugee Newsletter

The attached article has been accepted for publication by the ABA International Refugee Newsletter. Please review for clearance. Many regards,

[REDACTED]

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**From:** Wendy Whitt [wendy]  
**Sent:** Monday, September 20, 2010 4:19 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: ABA International Refugee Newsletter

I'm all finished with the edit, and the final copy is attached. Please let me know if you have any questions.

**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Morales, Abigail  
**Sent:** Friday, September 24, 2010 2:57 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox; Downen, Robert  
**Cc:** PA-SCG-DL  
**Subject:** RE: For PA Clearance: DS Special Agent's Masters Degree Thesis Topic

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Robert: I clear for thesis' introduction for PA with no edits. Suggest [redacted] add a disclaimer, along the following lines: "The author is an employee at the U.S. Department of State. Any views expressed herein are solely those of the author, and do not necessarily reflect those of the U.S. Department of State or the United States Government." B6

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Abigail Morales for PA Clearances mailbox

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**From:** Downen, Robert [mailto:[DownenR@state.gov](mailto:DownenR@state.gov)]  
**Sent:** Friday, September 24, 2010 2:29 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** For PA Clearance: DS Special Agent's Masters Degree Thesis Topic

Diplomatic Security Supervisory Special Agent [redacted] (recently DS Regional Security Officer in Copenhagen) is currently a Master's Degree candidate at the Army Command and General Staff College (ACGS) in Ft. Leavenworth, KS.

He has submitted his Master's thesis project outline for review/clearance, as it will include personal analysis, conclusions, and recommendations regarding today's DS role and capabilities worldwide, including defense against military-style attacks overseas and operation in war zones. The thesis clearly deals with "matters of official concern" as defined by the FAM.

See [redacted] attached "Thesis Prospectus Statement" for specific topics and issues to be addressed. He intends to use only publicly available information "as much as possible." The 9 students and 4 faculty members in his seminar class, where he will discuss his ongoing research and findings, all have at least a USG Secret-level clearance. At the conclusion of the project, however, the ACGS intends to publish all student theses on their public Web site, *unless special arrangements are made otherwise*.

[redacted] states that his thesis "will not discuss the merits of using contractors... Exact details of physical, procedural, or technical security standards will not be discussed... [and] DS tactics, trainings, and procedures (TTPs) will only be discussed in generalities." Agent [redacted] will spend the next six months researching, analyzing, and writing his thesis.

**This will be an academic analysis and assessment of the DS mission in today's threat environment. In consideration of academic freedom and the agent's First Amendment rights, and since nothing beyond Chapter 1 has been written yet, DS has cleared on this**

**first stage of activity.** Nothing in the attached first chapter, by itself, appears sensitive or objectionable. DS/PA has asked Agent [redacted] to submit the final complete thesis *prior to publication*, expected in April 2011.

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**Robert L. Downen**  
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phone: 571-345-2509

**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Morales, Abigail  
**Sent:** Friday, September 17, 2010 4:03 PM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox; PA-SCG-DL  
**Subject:** FW: Request for PA clearance for publication

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[redacted] I clear for PA with minor edits on pages 1 and 4.

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Reviewer

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Abigail Morales for PA Clearances mailbox

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**From:** [redacted] [mailto:[redacted]@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, September 16, 2010 12:51 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Request for PA clearance for publication

Dear PA Clearances,

I am sending you a document I would like to submit for 2011 publication in a volume on anthropologists and security/intelligence fields. I already have clearances from ODNI Review, INR and SCA/CEN (Central Asia Desk). I am submitting this in my personal capacity and have included a statement indicating this does not represent USG views, etc. There shouldn't be any issues. I requested and received clearance from the Directorate of National Intelligence because the piece discusses the unclassified research I conducted as a 2008-09 ODNI Exceptional Analyst Fellow. All of the information about the book project is below. My submission is attached.  
[redacted]

**From:** Robert Albro [mailto:robert.albro[redacted]]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 26, 2010 3:01 PM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Cc:** lamcnam[redacted]  
**Subject:** CEAUSSIC casebook project  
[redacted]

It's been a while. I hope this finds you well and enjoying the early summer.

I wanted to touch base with you about the possibility that you might be interested in contributed to a project I've been developing with three other colleagues (see attached proposal), which grew out of the work we did together as members of the AAA's Ad Hoc Commission on Anthropology's Engagement with the Security and Intelligence Communities (CEAUSSIC). If you would like some further detail on CEAUSSIC's work, check out:

<http://www.aaanet.org/cmtes/commissions/CEAUSSIC/index.cfm>.

The present project is a "casebook" of sorts, and we are currently soliciting case contributions from anthropologists situated in a variety of circumstances with respect to the security sector, broadly conceived, and asking them to reflect on the particulars of their "practice" in this arena. Our goals are several fold, at once: 1. to capture something of the range of diversity of kinds of engagement with the sector among anthropologists, 2. to explore the circumstances of anthropological practice with respect to security, 3. and to examine new ethical contours of this practice. To this end, we are hoping you might be persuaded to write a case of between 1500-3000 words in length. We hope to collect a total of approximately 20-25 cases, and currently have 15 in hand.

We thought of you as someone who might be able to address a variety of pertinent issues and questions, including but not only: the experiences of an anthropologist who works for an intelligence service, 2. the question of "sources and methods," that is, how you handle the information pertinent to analyses you develop, 3. as well as the circumstances -- ethical, methodological, practical, anthropological -- of what it means to be an "analyst." On the last, you might be further interested in a short piece of mine on "anthropology and analysts, FYI, found here:

<http://blog.aaanet.org/2009/06/08/ceaussic-anthropologists-and-analysts/>.

To bring you up to date, we currently have a book contract in hand from Left Coast Press, which has expressed a high level of enthusiasm and support for our project. We're excited, and our timeline is to deliver a complete manuscript to Left Coast by December of this year. For this reason, we are working actively through the summer months, both to fill out our case roster and to work with our case authors on the individual cases we already have.

I've also attached some materials, which should offer a clear context for the project in its latest and final incarnation: 1. the proposal we successfully used with publishers (which provides the most up-to-date discussion of what we hope to achieve with this project), 2. a sample case which we like very much and which we are thinking of as an exemplar of the general kind of form we hope all our cases will take (if details of each case will of course be different), and which might be useful for your own case write-up, 3. as well as a set of updated guidelines for case writers, which might also be helpful in the write-up.

Ideally, we would like to have all cases in hand by no later than the end of August (if not sooner). Let us know if you might be able to do this for us or not, and/or if you have any questions or concerns about the project. We're happy to discuss.

Best,

Rob

Robert Albro  
International Communication  
School of International Service  
American University  
[redacted]

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[redacted]  
Foreign Affairs Analyst  
Office of Analysis for Russia and Eurasia  
Bureau of Intelligence and Research  
U.S. Department of State  
202-647-5168

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**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Morales, Abigail  
**Sent:** Friday, September 17, 2010 10:11 AM  
**To:** Greer, Jason H  
**Cc:** McKeeby, David I; PA-SCG-DL; PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Article for Clearance

**REVIEW AUTHORITY:**  
Barbara Nielsen, Senior Reviewer

Jason: I clear for PA with edits on pages 2 (added key word to disclaimer statement), 4, 5, 7, 13, and 20.

Apologize for delay in responding; this apparently fell through the cracks.

Regards.

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Abigail Morales for PA Clearances mailbox

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M **On Behalf Of** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, September 16, 2010 3:53 PM  
**To:** PA-SCG-DL  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Article for Clearance

SCG: Please clear the attached article written by PAO [redacted] the State POLAD at U.S. Special Operations Command "The "Failed States" Doctrine." Written in his personal capacity. (29 pages) Thanks. B6

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**From:** Greer, Jason H [mailto:[GreerJH@state.gov](mailto:GreerJH@state.gov)]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 14, 2010 9:54 AM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Article for Clearance

We never got a response to this—request clearance ASAP

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**From:** Greer, Jason H  
**Sent:** Friday, April 30, 2010 3:39 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Article for Clearance

I don't recall getting a response on this. Please advise.

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**From:** Greer, Jason H  
**Sent:** Sunday, April 11, 2010 6:46 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Article for Clearance

[redacted] the State POLAD at U.S. Special Operations Command is seeking to submit the attached paper for publication. Request PA clearance for him to do so.

From: [REDACTED] CIV USSOCOM HQ [mailto:[REDACTED]]  
Sent: Thursday, April 08, 2010 7:02 PM  
To: Greer, Jason H  
Subject: Article for Clearance

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Jason,

Thank you for agreeing to look at this article for clearance.

I notice that we are still using "failed state" as a term.

Regards,

[REDACTED]

US Dept of State

POLAD – US SOCOM

MacDill AF8 – Tampa

<<Failed States April 2010.doc>>

**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Miller, Lisa M on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 31, 2010 6:12 PM  
**To:** McKellogg, Kelly E; PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: URGENT CLEARANCE REQUESTED

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**From:** McKellogg, Kelly E [<mailto:McKelloggKE@state.gov>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 31, 2010 5:07 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: URGENT CLEARANCE REQUESTED

Let's use the disclaimer. Do you have the exact language?

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M [<mailto:MillerLM@state.gov>] On Behalf Of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 31, 2010 4:59 PM  
**To:** McKellogg, Kelly E  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: URGENT CLEARANCE REQUESTED

Yes

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**From:** McKellogg, Kelly E [<mailto:McKelloggKE@state.gov>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 31, 2010 4:58 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: URGENT CLEARANCE REQUESTED

So official versus personal capacity?

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M [<mailto:MillerLM@state.gov>] On Behalf Of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 31, 2010 4:55 PM  
**To:** McKellogg, Kelly E

**Cc:** EAP-P-Office-DL; PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: URGENT CLEARANCE REQUESTED

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Will he indentify himself as a State Dept. employee in the piece? Would EAP be ok with that; or would EAP want him to use a disclaimer?

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**From:** McKellogg, Kelly E [mailto:[McKelloggKE@state.gov](mailto:McKelloggKE@state.gov)]

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 31, 2010 3:43 PM

**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox

**Cc:** EAP-P-Office-DL

**Subject:** URGENT CLEARANCE REQUESTED

PA clearances,

Your quick clearance is requested on the attached document. [REDACTED] is a State Department visiting fellow at the Center for Strategic and International Studies since last October. He was asked to write a short piece for the Freeman Report (CSIS publication) that is scheduled to be issued this week. EAP/CM and EAP/TC have cleared. B6

Thanks,

**Kelly McKellogg**

Bureau of East Asian and Pacific Affairs

Office of Public Affairs (EAP/P)

202-647-1028

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**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

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**From:** Herrmann, Lois M  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 31, 2010 4:47 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox; PA-SCG-DL  
**Subject:** RE: URGENT CLEARANCE REQUESTED

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Clear.

However, will he indentify himself as a State Dept. employee in the piece?  
Would EAP be ok with that; or would they want him to use a disclaimer?  
Lois

REVIEW AUTHORITY: Barbara  
Nielsen, Senior Reviewer

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M On Behalf Of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 31, 2010 4:37 PM  
**To:** PA-SCG-DL  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: URGENT CLEARANCE REQUESTED

SCG: Please clear. Thanks.

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**From:** McKellogg, Kelly E [mailto:[McKelloggKE@state.gov](mailto:McKelloggKE@state.gov)]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 31, 2010 3:43 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Cc:** EAP-P-Office-DL  
**Subject:** URGENT CLEARANCE REQUESTED

PA clearances,

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Thanks,

**Kelly McKellogg**  
Bureau of East Asian and Pacific Affairs  
Office of Public Affairs (EAP/P)  
202-647-1028

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**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Miller, Lisa M on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 26, 2010 2:39 PM  
**To:** Downen, Robert  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: For PA Clearance: TIA/ITA Officer Item for Publication

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Abigail Morales clears for PA - with edits to the disclaimer sentences. Thanks.

*Lisa M. Miller* for "PA Clearances Mailbox"  
Bureau of Public Affairs, HST, Room 6800  
Special Assistant  
U.S. Department of State  
Tel: 202-647-6197  
[MillerL.M@state.gov](mailto:MillerL.M@state.gov)

**REVIEW AUTHORITY:** Barbara Nielsen, Senior Reviewer

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**From:** Downen, Robert [<mailto:DownenR@state.gov>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 26, 2010 12:27 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: For PA Clearance: TIA/ITA Officer Item for Publication

Attached for PA clearance is a draft book review for publication, prepared by DS/TIA/ITA Officer [redacted]

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His book review is to be published in *Security Management Magazine*, the Virginia-based publication of the American Society for Industrial Security (ASIS) devoted to a variety of security topics all written by security professionals (see attachment for more info about the Society). We understand the magazine is asking for submission of the item, as approved, this week.

Thanks,

■ Bob Downen

**Robert L. Downen**  
Bureau of Diplomatic Security  
DS/PA  
U.S. Department of State  
[DownenR@state.gov](mailto:DownenR@state.gov)  
phone: 571-345-2509

**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Miller, Lisa M on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 19, 2010 3:51 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED] (CIV US NDU/INSS); PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: North Korea/Iran paper - submitted for DOD and State public affairs review

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Both are cleared.

**From:** [REDACTED] (CIV US NDU/INSS) [mailto:[REDACTED]]  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 19, 2010 3:49 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: North Korea/Iran paper - submitted for DOD and State public affairs review

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**AUTHORITY:**  
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 Nielsen, Senior  
 Reviewer

PA (and Lisa): Are my Iran/North Korea paper (submitted July 7) and related Executive Summary (submitted July 20) cleared? Based on Lisa's last correspondence, it appeared I had PA clearance on the paper, but still need that on the related Executive Summary. PA has had this for a while now. If there are any questions I can clear up, please have someone email me. We are eager to go to press. Regards.

[REDACTED]  
 Visiting State Department Fellow  
 Institute for National Strategic Studies (INSS)  
 National Defense University  
 Washington, D.C. 20319

[REDACTED] (office)  
 202-685-3972 (fax)

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M [mailto:[MillerL.M@state.gov](mailto:MillerL.M@state.gov)] On Behalf Of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 18, 2010 1:18 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED] (CIV US NDU/INSS)  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: North Korea/Iran paper - submitted for DOD and State public affairs review

Please attach the Executive Summary.

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**From:** [REDACTED] (CIV US NDU/INSS) [mailto:[REDACTED]]  
**Sent:** Monday, August 16, 2010 8:54 AM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox; Miller, Lisa M  
**Subject:** RE: North Korea/Iran paper - submitted for DOD and State public affairs review

Dear Lisa: To confirm, this constitutes the requisite State clearance for publication of this paper. Does it also mean that the Executive Summary of this paper, submitted separately, is cleared? I'll forward you the email you sent me on that one. Many thanks. Regards. [redacted]

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Visiting State Department Fellow  
Institute for National Strategic Studies (INSS)  
National Defense University  
Washington, D.C. 20319

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M [<mailto:MillerLM@state.gov>] **On Behalf Of PA Clearances Mailbox**  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 03, 2010 6:22 PM  
**To:** [redacted] (CIV US NDU/INSS)  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: North Korea/Iran paper - submitted for DOD and State public affairs review  
**Importance:** High

[redacted] PA, EAP's DPRK unit and EAP/P clear on your paper. Thanks.

-----Original Message-----

**From:** [redacted] (CIV US NDU/INSS) [[mailto:\[redacted\]](mailto:[redacted])]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 08, 2010 8:43 AM  
**To:** [redacted] (CIV US NDU/INSS); PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: North Korea/Iran paper - submitted for DOD and State public affairs review

Sorry for the deluge of emails, but if at all possible, I'd like to get the clearance by July 26. Regards.

[redacted]  
Visiting State Department Fellow  
Institute for National Strategic Studies (INSS) National Defense University Washington,  
D.C. 20319

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From: Yu, Alan K [mailto:[YuAK@state.gov](mailto:YuAK@state.gov)]  
Sent: Wednesday, July 07, 2010 6:33 PM  
To: PA Clearances Mailbox  
Cc: [REDACTED] (CIV US NDU/INSS)  
Subject: FW: North Korea/Iran paper - submitted for DOD and State public affairs review

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PA--

You will be hearing shortly from [REDACTED] (on cc line) explaining context for the paper that I am forwarding.

Alan Yu

**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

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**From:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Friday, August 13, 2010 9:00 AM  
**To:** Townley, Stephen G  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: FOR PA CLEARANCE: article to be published

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Mr. Townley: FYI, see below reply from [REDACTED] re L's conditional clearance.

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Abigail Morales for PA Clearances mailbox

**REVIEW AUTHORITY:** Barbara Nielsen, Senior Reviewer

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**From:** [REDACTED] [mailto:[REDACTED]]  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 12, 2010 8:01 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** Re: FOR PA CLEARANCE: article to be published

Thank you very much. The phrase you mention below is based on non-USG information, but it was taken out of the final version anyway because we had to shorten a bit. Many thanks again.

[REDACTED]

On Thu, Aug 12, 2010 at 7:54 AM, PA Clearances Mailbox <[paclearances@state.gov](mailto:paclearances@state.gov)> wrote:

[REDACTED] PA clears your article with no edits. We also secured clearances from L, EUR/SCE and S/WCI.

L's clearance is conditional to the assumption that "the authors are relying on non-USG information for the page 6 characterization of some suspects' "mafia ties" and the page 19 characterization of the "war criminal-organized crime nexus."

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Abigail Morales for PA Clearances mailbox

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**From:** [REDACTED] [mailto:[REDACTED]]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 29, 2010 11:02 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FOR PA CLEARANCE: article to be published

Dear PA Clearances:

I am an FSO on Home Leave (hence the message from my private account), between assignments in Japan and Arabic language training at FSI.

I am the secondary author on the attached article, which is under review for possible publication in the International Journal of Transitional Justice, an academic journal, and which I respectfully submit for your clearance. My co-author, [REDACTED] of Arizona State University, is the primary author, and he conducted all B6 the interviews, as we have duly noted in the footnotes. My contribution was mainly the broad area studies angle, as I am well versed on the Balkans owing to my pre-Foreign Service research on the region.

I have included the standard disclaimer at the outset of the article. The red font indicates the final changes--no further substantive changes will be made to the article.

Please let me know if you have any questions or require additional information. FYI, you have previously cleared my book, *Regime Change in the Yugoslav Successor States* (Johns Hopkins University Press, 2010).

Many thanks in advance.

Sincerely,

[REDACTED]

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**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Miller, Lisa M on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 06, 2010 5:22 PM  
**To:** McKellogg, Kelly E  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox; McKeeby, David J; Macray, Rosemary R; Paradiso, Darragh T  
**Subject:** FW: CLEARANCE REQUESTED: HCMC Officer FW: Writing for publication

Lois Herrmann clears for PA. Thanks.

*Lisa M. Miller* for "PA Clearances Mailbox"  
Bureau of Public Affairs, HST, Room 8600  
Special Assistant  
U.S. Department of State  
Tel. 202-647-6197  
[MillerLM@state.gov](mailto:MillerLM@state.gov)

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**From:** McKellogg, Kelly E [<mailto:McKelloggKE@state.gov>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 06, 2010 10:55 AM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Cc:** McKeeby, David J; Macray, Rosemary R; Paradiso, Darragh T  
**Subject:** CLEARANCE REQUESTED: HCMC Officer FW: Writing for publication

PA clearances,

A new officer at CG Ho Chi Minh City, [redacted] wrote the attached piece about his dad's return visit to Vietnam B6 (having been there in the war). He has been in contact with editors at *The American Scholar*, and they were the ones who suggested he write this article. He hasn't yet sent the submission to them, so we don't yet know if they're going to want to go with publication. PA clearance requested. EAP clears.

We'll be sure the author includes the standard language if *The American Scholar* decides to run his article:

"The views expressed in this article are those of the author, and do not necessarily reflect those of the U.S. Department of State or the U.S. Government."

Thanks,

**Kelly McKellogg**  
Bureau of East Asian and Pacific Affairs  
Office of Public Affairs (EAP/P)  
202-647-1028

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**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Miller, Lisa M on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Friday, July 02, 2010 12:06 PM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: For review: article on Withdrawal

**REVIEW AUTHORITY:** Barbara Nielsen, Senior Reviewer

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PA and NEA clear as long as you use the disclaimer - "The author is a Foreign Service Officer with the U.S. Department of State. Any views expressed herein are solely those of the author, and not necessarily those of the United States Government or the U.S. Department of State." Thanks.

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**From:** [mailto: [redacted]]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 29, 2010 11:22 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** For review: article on Withdrawal

Please review for clearance at your earliest convenience. Following my attendance at the March conference at the Chatham House in London, I was asked to submit an article to the Chatham House "World Today" on the withdrawal of US combat troops. This is the draft that was accepted for publication in July/August.

I have already noted a few mistakes: four instead of a five year term, and a run-on sentence. Also need the disclaimer.

As there is a somewhat tight editorial turn-around, I would appreciate it if this could be reviewed at your earliest convenience.

Many regards,

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**From:** The World Today [wtoday@chathamhouse.org.uk]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 29, 2010 11:27 AM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Subject:** FW: Draft editorial- Withdrawal

Please see attached for a proof of your article and a copyright form. If you could return the form, plus any amendments asap, we would be most grateful.

Kind regards

Alison

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**From:** Graham Walker  
**Sent:** 25 June 2010 17:42

**To:** The World Today; Chatham House World Today  
**Subject:** FW: Draft editorial- Withdrawal

This one is the first priority Alison because [redacted] is going on leave.

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Thanks so much,

Graham

----- Forwarded Message

**From:** " [redacted]" <[redacted]>  
**Date:** Thu, 24 Jun 2010 02:47:08 +0100  
**To:** Graham Walker <GWalker [redacted]>  
**Conversation:** Draft editorial- Withdrawal  
**Subject:** Draft editorial- Withdrawal

Graham,

Here is my draft editorial. Please let me know what you think and if I can add/subtract anything.

Regards,  
[redacted]

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**From:** Graham Walker [GWalker [redacted]]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 23, 2010 11:02 AM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Subject:** Re: Iraq the pullout - Chatham house - The World Today

Great, look forward to it,

Thanks so much,

Graham

On 23/6/10 15:54, "[redacted]" <[redacted]> wrote:

Graham,

Thanks. I have been working away at the piece and will send it on to you later today. I have touched a bit on the topics below, but you can tell me if you want more or less of something.

Next week is pretty busy for me, and June 30 I leave for 2 weeks in Hawaii. I will have access to e-mail while away but would like to get as much wrapped up before then as possible.

Regards,  
[redacted]

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**From:** Graham Walker [GWalker [redacted]]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 23, 2010 9:35 AM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Subject:** Re: Iraq the pullout - Chatham house - The World Today  
[redacted]

Thinking a bit more about this [redacted] it might be worth focusing on the bigger picture as the military pullout begins: Who are the winners and losers in Iraq and internationally? What about the Iraqi people, the US, and the military come to that?

This might help avoid the danger you identified of things changing on the ground in Iraq with a more micro focused view.

Very much look forward to your article,

Graham

On 4/6/10 19:57, "████████" <████████> wrote:

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Dear Graham,

Thanks very much for the invitation to write a piece for The World Today. You have presented quite a challenge as Iraq in 2 weeks will be something other than Iraq in 2 months most likely. I will do my best to get you a draft by the end of next week.

From: Graham Walker [GWalker]  
Sent: Friday, June 04, 2010 12:38 PM  
To: ██████████  
Subject: Iraq the pullout - Chatham house - The World Today

████████  
My colleagues in the Middle East Programme here at Chatham House suggested you might be interested in writing a brief analysis of how Iraq is going to look as the US begins its troop drawdown in August.

I'm hoping to run it in the August/September edition of The World Today magazine to brief readers on developments to expect.

Our readership is a general one, so I'd be looking for a broad analysis for the general reader making sense of the changing military balance and the bewildering complexity of Iraqi politics.

Most of our articles are either 1100 or 1500 words in accessible journalistic style. You can see an electronic version of the latest magazine at [www.theworldtoday.org](http://www.theworldtoday.org). Copy would be needed in around two to three weeks.

Very much hope the idea appeals,

All the best,

Graham

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Graham Walker  
Editor - The World Today  
Chatham House  
Royal Institute of International Affairs

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**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Miller, Lisa M on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 29, 2010 11:48 AM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Pre-Publication Clearance Needed

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[redacted] PA clears with no edits with the understanding that you are not identifying yourself as a State employee. Thanks.

*Lisa M. Miller* for "PA Clearances Mailbox"  
 Bureau of Public Affairs, HST, Room 6800  
 Special Assistant  
 U.S. Department of State  
 Tel: 202-647-6197  
[MillerLM@state.gov](mailto:MillerLM@state.gov)

**REVIEW AUTHORITY:** Barbara Nielsen, Senior Reviewer

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**From:** [redacted] [mailto:[redacted]]  
**Sent:** Monday, June 28, 2010 9:28 AM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: Pre-Publication Clearance Needed

Yes, I'm the author of the piece, and I'm writing in my capacity as a Council on Foreign Relations International Affairs Fellow. Thanks. [redacted]

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M [mailto:[MillerLM@state.gov](mailto:MillerLM@state.gov)] On Behalf Of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Friday, June 25, 2010 2:55 PM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: Pre-Publication Clearance Needed

Are you the author of the piece - if so is this written in your role at CFR or DOS - or in your personal capacity?

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**From:** [redacted] [mailto:[redacted]]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 25, 2010 11:18 AM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** Pre-Publication Clearance Needed

Greetings:

I am a State Department employee doing a Council on Foreign Relations Fellowship for the year. The attached short policy brief will be published by Brookings in connection with a conference they are holding in the beginning of August.

In terms of who should clear, I would suggest someone from the Policy Planning staff—perhaps Elliot Repko; and someone from F staff—Peggy Hoyle would be a good person. Shouldn't be a difficult clearance—there's a fair amount of consensus on the issues covered in the brief, and nothing (that I know of) would be construed as inconsistent with any of State's policies.

Please let me know if there are any questions. [REDACTED] I need the clearance by the end of next week (i.e. Friday, B6 July 2). Earlier would be great.

Regards,  
[REDACTED]

**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

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**From:** [REDACTED]@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Monday, June 28, 2010 1:26 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: American Society of International Law [REDACTED]

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Thanks!

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M [mailto:[MillerLM@state.gov](mailto:MillerLM@state.gov)] **On Behalf Of** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Monday, June 28, 2010 1:26 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: American Society of International Law - [REDACTED]

PA clears with minor edits. Thanks.

**REVIEW AUTHORITY:**  
Barbara Nielsen, Senior  
Reviewer

*Lisa M. Miller* for "PA Clearances Mailbox"  
Bureau of Public Affairs, HST, Room 6800  
Staff Assistant  
U.S. Department of State  
Tel: 202-647-6197  
[MillerLM@state.gov](mailto:MillerLM@state.gov)

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**From:** [REDACTED] [mailto:[REDACTED]@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 24, 2010 7:47 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: American Society of International Law - [REDACTED]

Let's assume personal but I am double checking with my ethics folks and will let you know if that needs to change.

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M [mailto:[MillerLM@state.gov](mailto:MillerLM@state.gov)] **On Behalf Of** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 24, 2010 10:16 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: American Society of International Law - [REDACTED]

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**From:** [REDACTED] [mailto:[REDACTED]@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 24, 2010 8:41 AM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:**

All—

I am seeking clearance on the inclusion of the attached piece in a forthcoming publication of the proceedings of the 2009 annual meeting of the American Society of International Law. The presentation was cleared by relevant L and DOD offices prior to delivery, and the written piece has been cleared by L/PM (Ashley Deeks), the L Front Office (Joan Donoghue), and by DOD (Hays Parks). Please let me know if you have any questions.

Many thanks,

[redacted]  
Acting Assistant Legal Adviser  
Office of the Legal Adviser (L/PM)  
U.S. Department of State  
(202) 647-6863

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**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 16, 2010 6:14 PM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Changing "employee's" for "author's" RE: The Seventh Priest by [redacted]

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[redacted] **RELEASE IN PART B5,B6**

PA clears your novel with the proposed disclaimer:

*This book is a work of fiction. Names, characters, places and incidents are the product of the author's imagination or are used fictitiously. Any resemblance to actual events, locales, or persons, living or dead, is coincidental. The views expressed herein are the author's own and not necessarily those of the U.S. Department of State or the U.S. Government.*

However, you do use one real name and a real person's circumstances in your work of fiction. On page 71, you use Ambassador April Glaspie's name and experience in Iraq – and she is not a fictional character. So there is a discrepancy with stating in the disclaimer that "names, characters..." "are the product of the author's imagination..." You will either have to change the disclaimer or change Ms. Glaspie's name and circumstances in the novel. Also, you may want to discuss this matter with your publisher and legal counsel.

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**From:** [redacted] [mailto: [redacted]@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Friday, May 07, 2010 9:18 AM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: The Seventh Priest by [redacted]

I was told by L/Ethics Chip Brooks that I need to run this by PA. Is there someone I can talk with or just I just send and wait one month for a reply or non-reply?

The book does not relate to my official duty in any way. This is a historical fiction based in Sudan.

However, the content does have some current political climate stuff (non fiction) and does involve fictional characters working for the USG. As currently laid out, it is about 250 pages, but most of this is fictional or involves past history.

[redacted]  
[redacted] **REVIEW AUTHORITY: Barbara Nielsen,  
Senior Reviewer**

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**From:** Brooks, Waldo W (Chip)  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 06, 2010 4:11 PM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Subject:** RE: Question Regarding the FAM and Permission Procedures

[redacted]

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Chip Brooks

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 06, 2010 2:46 PM  
**To:** Brooks, Waldo W (Chip)  
**Subject:** FW: Question Regarding the FAM and Permission Procedures

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Waldo – do you have any advice.

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**From:** Castiglione, Diane L  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 06, 2010 2:13 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Miles-Bell, Sharon A  
**Subject:** RE: Question Regarding the FAM and Permission Procedures

I think your best bet is to contact L/Ethics. They should be able to tell you what you need to consider in doing this. There used to be some clearance requirements involving PA but I don't think they are as rigorous as they used to be.

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**From:** [redacted]  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 06, 2010 1:12 PM  
**To:** Castiglione, Diane L  
**Cc:** Miles-Bell, Sharon A  
**Subject:** Question Regarding the FAM and Permission Procedures

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I have a historical fiction that I am about two weeks away from sending to a publisher. Is there anything in particular I have to do to receive clearance of some type from the State Department. Whom should I talk with about this.

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[redacted]

**From:** [redacted] [mailto:[redacted]]  
**Sent:** Friday, May 07, 2010 8:27 AM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Subject:**

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The New Busy think 9 to 5 is a cute idea. Combine multiple calendars with Hotmail. [Get busy.](#)

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**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Miller, Lisa M on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 16, 2010 1:31 PM  
**To:** Hilton, Robert B; SCA-Press; PA Clearances Mailbox; Simon, Jessica L; Kabul Press; SRAP-InternationalPartnershipTeam-DI; Haq, Nayyera; Cope, Aaron M; Carland, Raphael EUR-Press  
**Cc:**  
**Subject:** RE: Cambridge thesis: NZ in Afghanistan: references for clearance

PA/FO Gordon Duguid clears for PA. Thanks.

REVIEW AUTHORITY:  
Barbara Nielsen, Senior  
Reviewer

Lisa M. Miller for "PA Clearances Mailbox"  
Bureau of Public Affairs, HST, Room 6800 Staff Assistant U.S. Department of State  
Tel: 202-647-6197  
[MillerLM@state.gov](mailto:MillerLM@state.gov)

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**From:** Hilton, Robert B [mailto:[HiltonRB@state.gov](mailto:HiltonRB@state.gov)]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 16, 2010 10:18 AM  
**To:** SCA-Press; PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Cc:** EUR-Press  
**Subject:** FW: Cambridge thesis: NZ in Afghanistan: references for clearance

EUR requests SCA and PA clearance for inclusion of quotes below from a USNATO political officer in an academic thesis, not for publication but presumably available publicly through Cambridge University. Thank you. Robert

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-----Original Message-----

**From:** Ross, Rebecca  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 15, 2010 7:49 AM  
**To:** EUR-Press  
**Cc:** Strano, Andrea V  
**Subject:** FW: Cambridge thesis: NZ in Afghanistan: references for clearance

EUR-Press folks, below is language that we have been asked to clear for inclusion in the Cambridge thesis of [ ] B6 [ ] an employee of the New Zealand Foreign Ministry. Although it is not for publication, seems like we should clear any comments on the record with regard to Afghanistan, or ask that the comments not be attributed. Is there an actual policy for theses?

Alison has done fact checks and replaced words like "surge" with "uplift" already. Thanks, Rebecca

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Rebecca A. Ross  
Acting Public Affairs Advisor  
U.S. Mission to NATO  
tel: 32-2-724-3491  
email: [rossr@state.gov](mailto:rossr@state.gov)  
<http://nato.usmission.gov>

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**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Miller, Lisa M on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 09, 2010 12:36 PM  
**To:** Herzberg, John M  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox; Mannina, Jamie F  
**Subject:** FW: NATO - BioInspired Computing.doc

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The Bureau of Public Affairs (PA) has examined this document and clears – Please use the disclaimer as you note.

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**From:** Herzberg, John M [mailto:[HerzbergJM@state.gov](mailto:HerzbergJM@state.gov)]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 02, 2010 11:10 AM  
**To:** Herrmann, Lois M  
**Subject:** FW: BioInspired Computing.doc

**REVIEW AUTHORITY:** Barbara Nielsen, Senior Reviewer

INR – CWestermann has now cleared

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**From:**   
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 01, 2010 8:16 AM  
**To:** Handler, Joshua M; Frisa, Beth E; Westermann, Christian  
**Cc:** Herzberg, John M  
**Subject:** BioInspired Computing.doc

The attached paper is intended for presentation at the NATO ASI conference in Moldova on CBRN Detection Technologies next week (and eventual publication in the conference proceedings). The part beginning at #3 may be of most interest to SPM. PA has requested that I get INR clearance on the words. Please get me clearance by Friday morning so I can pass it on to PA.

Section 3 has also been reviewed by folks at WINPAC.

VCI/BW  
7-2408

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**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 02, 2010 2:08 PM  
**To:** Calongne, Todd D  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox; PA-SCG-DL  
**Subject:** RE: Civ-Mil Balance.doc

REVIEW AUTHORITY: Barbara Nielsen, Senior Reviewer

Yes PA clears with use of disclaimer – various edits tracked. Thanks.

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**From:** Calongne, Todd D [mailto:[CalongneTD@state.gov](mailto:CalongneTD@state.gov)]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 02, 2010 2:06 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: Civ-Mil Balance.doc

Great thanks so you clear with this text added?

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M [mailto:[MillerLM@state.gov](mailto:MillerLM@state.gov)] On Behalf Of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 02, 2010 2:06 PM  
**To:** Calongne, Todd D  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: Civ-Mil Balance.doc

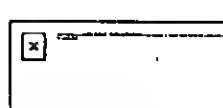
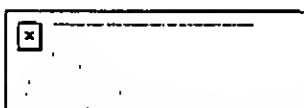
Sample of text for a disclaimer

"The views expressed in this article are those of the author, and do not necessarily reflect those of the U.S. Department of State or the U.S. Government."

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**From:** Calongne, Todd D [mailto:[CalongneTD@state.gov](mailto:CalongneTD@state.gov)]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 01, 2010 5:08 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox; PA-SCG-DL  
**Subject:** RE: Civ-Mil Balance.doc

I have as PAO for S/CRS. Can you give me a sample of text for a disclaimer?



Todd Calongne | U.S. Department of State  
Public Affairs Officer | 202-663-0849 | [calongnetd@state.gov](mailto:calongnetd@state.gov)

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**From:** PA Clearances Mailbox [mailto:[paclearances@state.gov](mailto:paclearances@state.gov)]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 01, 2010 4:47 PM  
**To:** Calongne, Todd D  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox; PA-SCG-DL  
**Subject:** RE: Civ-Mil Balance.doc

Who in your bureau has cleared on this? And will he be using a disclaimer?

Thanks,  
Lois Herrmann

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**From:** Calongne, Todd D [mailto:[CalongneTD@state.gov](mailto:CalongneTD@state.gov)]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 01, 2010 4:05 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Civ-Mil Balance.doc

Can you clear for publication by Patuxent Defense Forum? <http://www.smcm.edu/news/pressrelease/2010/04/10-090.html> [REDACTED] is submitting this as part of the follow on to his participation in the above linked conference. I believe this will be public.

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Friday, May 14, 2010 4:36 PM  
**To:** Calongne, Todd D  
**Subject:** Civ-Mil Balance.doc

Todd,

Here's a copy of the paper I've written as a follow-up to the presentation at the Patuxent Defense Forum. We have about a week before it is due, so I hope that is sufficient time for your review.

Best wishes for a great weekend,

[REDACTED]

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**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Friday, May 28, 2010 9:28 AM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Draft article for pre-publication clearance

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[redacted] PA clears with minor edits. We also secured clearances in NEA (NEA/PPD and NEA/I-PRT).

We suggest the use of a disclaimer (The views expressed herein are those of the author, and do not necessarily reflect the views of the U.S. Department of State or the U.S. Government.), perhaps adding it at the end of the first paragraph where you introduce yourself as a State FSO.

Regards,  
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Abigail Morales for PA Clearances mailbox

REVIEW AUTHORITY: Barbara Nielsen, Senior Reviewer

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M On Behalf Of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 25, 2010 11:24 AM  
**To:** PA-SCG-DL  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Draft article for pre-publication clearance

SCG: Please clear – details below. Thanks.

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**From:** [redacted] [mailto:[redacted]]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 25, 2010 8:51 AM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** Draft article for pre-publication clearance

Greetings. I am a Department of State Foreign Service Officer currently on a Una Cox Fellowship at Harvard's Kennedy School of Government. I want to contribute an article for web and hard-copy publication at the US Army's Peacekeeping and Stability Operations Institute at Carlisle, Penn. The article focuses on my experiences 2008-2009 as a Team Leader of an embedded Provincial Reconstruction Team in Iraq. I'd appreciate the Department's clearance of the attached draft before I submit it to the editors.

Please let me know if you need more information or have questions concerning this article. Many thanks,

[redacted]  
[redacted]

**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Miller, Lisa M on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 06, 2010 10:43 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]; PA Clearances Mailbox; [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** FW: Article for clearance (UNCLASSIFIED)

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**Importance:** High

[REDACTED] PA and EUR clear. Please note various edits throughout the article, including correcting the year of the Russian journalist Anna Politkovskaya's death (2006 instead of 2007).

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-----Original Message-----

**From:** [REDACTED] USA [mailto:[REDACTED]]  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 08, 2010 3:20 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: Article for clearance (UNCLASSIFIED)  
  
Classification: UNCLASSIFIED  
Caveats: NONE

**REVIEW AUTHORITY:**  
Barbara Nielsen, Senior  
Reviewer

I don't know. I'm consulting with some colleagues for their advice on the most appropriate journal.

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Miller, Lisa M [mailto:[MillerLM@state.gov](mailto:MillerLM@state.gov)] On Behalf Of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 08, 2010 3:18 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED] USA; PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: Article for clearance (UNCLASSIFIED)

Where are you planning to place the article?

**From:** [REDACTED] USA [mailto:[REDACTED]]  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 08, 2010 2:29 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** Article for clearance (UNCLASSIFIED)

Classification: UNCLASSIFIED

Caveats: NONE

Please review attached article for clearance to be published. I have not yet submitted it to any publications. (I am a senior foreign service officer on detail to the Army War College.)

Thank you very much,

[Redacted]

Classification: UNCLASSIFIED

Caveats: NONE

Classification: UNCLASSIFIED

Caveats: NONE

**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Miller, Lisa M on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 20, 2010 10:01 AM  
**To:** McKellogg, Kelly E  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox; EAP-P-Office-DL  
**Subject:** FW: CLEARANCE REQUESTED: Pre-publication Review Request

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Note: Various edits were made to the text. Thanks.

-----Original Message-----

From: McKellogg, Kelly E [mailto:[McKelloggKE@state.gov](mailto:McKelloggKE@state.gov)]  
Sent: Monday, April 19, 2010 2:44 PM  
To: PA Clearances Mailbox  
Cc: EAP-P-Office-DL  
Subject: CLEARANCE REQUESTED: Pre-publication Review Request

**REVIEW AUTHORITY: Barbara Nielsen,  
Senior Reviewer**

PA clearances,

[redacted] an FSI student, has written the attached article (11 pages) on North Korea's internal politics in his B6 personal capacity. He is seeking PA clearance. EAP clears. It is based on a book he has coming out later this year, which has already received Department pre-pub review clearance. He hopes to publish this article in a semi-scholarly journal and will include the required disclaimer.

Thanks,

Kelly McKellogg  
Bureau of East Asian and Pacific Affairs Office of Public Affairs (EAP/P)  
202-647-1029

**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** [REDACTED]@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 15, 2010 12:36 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: possible article for publication

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Thank you, Lisa!

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M [mailto:[MillerLM@state.gov](mailto:MillerLM@state.gov)] **On Behalf Of** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 14, 2010 2:41 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: possible article for publication

Abigail Morales clears for PA - with suggested edits. Thanks.

REVIEW AUTHORITY: Barbara  
Nielsen, Senior Reviewer

*Lisa M. Miller* for "PA Clearances Mailbox"  
Bureau of Public Affairs, HST, Room 6800  
Staff Assistant  
U.S. Department of State  
Tel: 202-647-6197  
[MillerLM@state.gov](mailto:MillerLM@state.gov)

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**From:** [REDACTED] [mailto:[REDACTED]@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 13, 2010 12:36 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: possible article for publication

Lipscomb University in Nashville, Tennessee.

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M [mailto:[MillerLM@state.gov](mailto:MillerLM@state.gov)] **On Behalf Of** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Monday, April 12, 2010 1:35 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: possible article for publication

Emily: Who is your alma mater?

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**From:** [REDACTED] [mailto:[REDACTED]@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 08, 2010 12:27 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: possible article for publication

Dear Lisa,

Here is the article. Please let me know if there is a problem and it did not attach.

Thank you,



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**From:** Miller, Lisa M [mailto:[MillerLM@state.gov](mailto:MillerLM@state.gov)] **On Behalf Of** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 07, 2010 4:48 PM  
**To:**   
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: possible article for publication

Please attach the article. Thanks.

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**From:** Young, Rainy (Urenia)  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 07, 2010 12:03 PM  
**To:** PA RMO Group  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: possible article for publication



This needs to go to PA Clearances. I have cc'd them here.

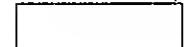
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**From:** [mailto:[@state.gov](mailto:@state.gov)]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 07, 2010 11:57 AM  
**To:** PA RMO Group  
**Subject:** possible article for publication

Dear Colleagues,

My alma mater would like to publish an article about me and my entry into the Foreign Service in their upcoming alumni magazine. Please see the attached article for clearance.

Thank you and best wishes,



**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Miller, Lisa M on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 06, 2010 11:14 AM  
**To:**   
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Any word on this clearance request? FW: Needed by April 1 - FW: Clearance request

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**From:**  [mailto:@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Monday, March 29, 2010 12:51 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: Clearance request

**REVIEW AUTHORITY:** Barbara Nielsen, Senior Reviewer

Personal.

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M [mailto:MillerLM@state.gov] On Behalf Of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** 29 March 2010 12:28  
**To:**   
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Clearance request

Is this written in your official or personal capacity?

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**From:**  [mailto:@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Monday, March 29, 2010 8:49 AM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** Clearance request

Attached are two articles I am submitting for clearance for publication. I have not cleared them with any office or person. They would be published in *Freedom and Union*, a periodic publication of the Streit Council for a Union of Democracies.

Thank you very much for your early attention to this request.

A/GIS/IPS/CR/EAN

**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 11, 2010 2:17 PM  
**To:** Adams, Katina O  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox; EAP-P-Office-DL  
**Subject:** FW: CLEARANCE REQUEST: EAP Employee Request Permission to Publish Article

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PA clears with various edits. Thanks.

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**From:** Adams, Katina D [mailto:[AdamsKO@state.gov](mailto:AdamsKO@state.gov)]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 10, 2010 12:09 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Cc:** EAP-P-Office-DL  
**Subject:** CLEARANCE REQUEST: EAP Employee Request Permission to Publish Article

PA Colleagues-

EAP employee [redacted] request PA clearance to publish the attached article. He intends to shop article around for B6 domestic publication. EAP/P and EAP/MLS clear.

Katina Adams  
Public Affairs Specialist  
Bureau of East Asian and Pacific Affairs  
Office of Public Affairs  
202-647-2539

**REVIEW AUTHORITY:** Barbara Nielsen, Senior Reviewer

**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Monday, March 08, 2010 2:30 PM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Question re submitting article for law review publication

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PA clears with various edits in Track Changes. [redacted] PA suggest use of disclaimer. Thanks.

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**From:** [mailto: [redacted]@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 04, 2010 6:18 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: Question re submitting article for law review publication

Cleared by:

L/BA: DGallagher  
L/PD: CEpstein  
L/Ethics: WBrooks

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M (PACE) [mailto:MillerLM@state.gov] **On Behalf Of** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 03, 2010 6:41 PM

**To:** [redacted]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Question re submitting article for law review publication

Can you attach a clearance page of folks who have cleared. Thanks.

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**From:** [mailto: [redacted]@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 03, 2010 2:30 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Question re submitting article for law review publication

Attached is an article I have written that I would like to get clearance on. It has been cleared by the relevant offices within L.

Thank you.



REVIEW AUTHORITY: Barbara Nielsen, Senior Reviewer

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**From:** Epstein, Carol B  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 20, 2010 5:04 PM  
**To:** [redacted], Nierenberg, Lorie J; Brooks, Waldo W (Chip)  
**Cc:** Peay, T Michael  
**Subject:** RE: Question re submitting article for law review publication

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**From:** [REDACTED]

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**Sent:** Wednesday, January 20, 2010 4:28 PM

**To:** Nierenberg, Lorie J; Brooks, Waldo W (Chip)

**Cc:** Peay, T Michael; Epstein, Carol B

**Subject:** RE: Question re submitting article for law review publication

Thanks, Chip and Lorie.

[REDACTED] B5

Thanks!

[REDACTED] B6

**From:** Nierenberg, Lorie J

**Sent:** Tuesday, January 19, 2010 7:51 PM

**To:** Brooks, Waldo W (Chip); [REDACTED]

**Cc:** Peay, T Michael; Epstein, Carol B

**Subject:** RE: Question re submitting article for law review publication

Thanks Chip.

[REDACTED] B5

**From:** Brooks, Waldo W (Chip)

**Sent:** Tuesday, January 19, 2010 5:21 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

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**Cc:** Peay, T Michael; Nierenberg, Lorie J

**Subject:** RE: Question re submitting article for law review publication

[REDACTED]

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Chip

**From:** [REDACTED]

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**Sent:** Tuesday, January 19, 2010 5:17 PM

**To:** Brooks, Waldo W (Chip)

**Subject:** Question re submitting article for law review publication

Hi Chip,

I have written a paper I am hoping to submit to law reviews for publication. I am wondering [redacted]

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**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Miller, Lisa M on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Friday, March 05, 2010 11:42 AM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Publication Question: YPFP/CCO Essay Competition

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PA clears, with various edits, with the use of a disclaimer. Thanks.

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**From:** [redacted] L [mailto:[redacted]@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 04, 2010 3:15 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Publication Question: YPFP/CCO Essay Competition

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Dear PA Clearance,

Per the advice of the Ethics team, I am sending you my essay (attached) for the PA clearance process, which the National Defense University (NDU) has selected through a contest for publication sometime in the Spring of 2010.

I will definitely include the disclaimer that the Ethics team suggested.

Please feel free to be in touch with me about this matter. My mobile number is [redacted]. I will be able to provide you a work number on Monday 8-Mar, when I start work at the Ops Center (S/ES-O).

All the best,  
[redacted]

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**From:** Alexander, MJ  
**Sent:** Tue 2/23/2010 3:39 AM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Subject:** RE: Publication Question: YPFP/CCO Essay Competition

[redacted] -Congratulations and thanks for your questions. [redacted]

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Best Regards,

Alex

**REVIEW AUTHORITY: Barbara Nielsen, Senior Reviewer**

M. J. Alexander, Esq.

Ethics Counselor

L/EMP-Ethics

(202) 663-3096

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**From:** [redacted]  
**Sent:** Sat 2/20/2010 5:24 AM  
**To:** Ethics Attorney Mailbox  
**Cc:** [redacted]  
**Subject:** RE: Publication Question: YPFP/CCO Essay Competition

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Attachments :

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**From:** [redacted]  
**Sent:** Sat 2/20/2010 5:24 AM  
**To:** Ethics Attorney Mailbox  
**Cc:** [redacted]  
**Subject:** Publication Question: YPFP/CCO Essay Competition

Dear Ethics Team,

[redacted]

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If possible, please CC your reply to my personal e-mail above, since I am on home leave, and will otherwise not have access to my State Department webmail. You may also feel free to reach me anytime by cell phone at [redacted]

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Best regards,

[redacted]

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**From:** [redacted] [mailto:[redacted]]  
**Sent:** Sat 2/20/2010 4:11 AM

To: [redacted]  
Subject: Fwd: YPFP/CCO Essay Competition

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From: Joshua Huminski <joshua.huminski@ypfp.org>  
Date: Tue, Feb 2, 2010 at 9:25 PM  
Subject: YPFP/CCO Essay Competition

To: [redacted]

Dear [redacted]

It gives me great pleasure to congratulate you on the acceptance of your essay and to invite you to participate in the 2010 Winter Symposium at the National Defense University.

We received a large number of outstanding essays making this launch a great success.

With so many excellent entries it was exceedingly difficult to select which essays to include, but I am happy to inform you that yours was amongst the strongest contenders.

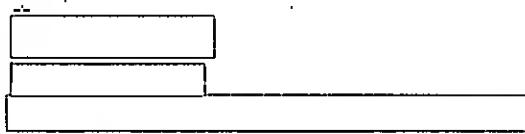
Details on participation, dates, and locations of the symposium will follow.

In the interim, congratulations again and thank you for helping making the inaugural competition a great success.

If you have any immediate questions, please feel free to e-mail me at joshua.huminski@ypfp.org.

Kindest regards,

Joshua C. Huminski



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**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)****RELEASE IN PART  
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**From:** Miller, Lisa M on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 04, 2010 2:54 PM  
**To:** Downen, Robert  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: For PA Review and Clearance: New Book Manuscript by DS Agent

*This book has been reviewed and approved by the U.S. Department of State for publication. That review neither constitutes U.S. Department of State authentication of information nor implies U.S. Department of State endorsement of the content or of the author's statements. The views expressed are the employee's own and not necessarily those of the U.S. Government or the U.S. Department of State.*

'PA and L/Ethics pose no objections, subject to the added clause as reflected above in red. Thanks.

**From:** Downen, Robert [mailto:[DownenR@state.gov](mailto:DownenR@state.gov)]  
**Sent:** Thursday, January 21, 2010 11:59 AM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** For PA Review and Clearance: New Book Manuscript by DS Agent

Attached for PA review and clearance is a new novel manuscript intended for commercial publication, prepared by the DS Chief of the Consular Integrity Division [REDACTED] (DSS/DO/ICI/CR/CID). DSS has no B6 objection to its publication.

As described in the cover sheet (also attached), [REDACTED]

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Because the book is "a private writing on a matter of official concern," it has been reviewed (not "cleared") by DS/PA, DSS, and relevant entities shown on the cover sheet, per the FAM and DS Bureau Policy Guidelines for all employee publications. Note the standard USG employee "disclaimer" on page 2. [REDACTED] has already made a few edits to his manuscript in response to suggestions offered earlier by DS/PA.

Thanks.

■ Bob Downen

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Robert L. Downen

Bureau of Diplomatic Security  
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phone: 571-345-2509

**REVIEW AUTHORITY:** Barbara Nielsen,  
Senior Reviewer

**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Miller, Lisa M (PACE) on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Monday, March 01, 2010 7:18 PM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: WTO Paper - already received L/EB and EEB Clearance

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PA clears with some edits. Thanks.

**REVIEW**  
**AUTHORITY:**  
Barbara Nielsen,  
Senior Reviewer

**From:** [redacted] [mailto:[redacted]@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 23, 2010 4:48 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** WTO Paper - already received L/EB and EEB Clearance

Hello – please find attached an article that I would like to submit for publication on the constitutionalization of the WTO. I have already received clearance from L/EB and EEB for publication. The disclaimer language in the star footnote has been provided by L/EMP.

I would like to submit it during the currently ongoing submission season, so if you could please review and provide feedback as soon as practical I would greatly appreciate it.

Of course I would be happy to answer any questions either on e-mail or at extension 6B344.

Best,

[redacted]

**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@state.gov>  
**Sent:** Friday, February 26, 2010 1:56 PM  
**To:** Ethics Attorney Mailbox  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: Clearance to publish a paper

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Violanda,

Thank you for the quick response. [REDACTED] Yes, the data was B5 collected on behalf of the State Department. Our policy is to make these data available to the public through the National Archives. However, these particular data sets have not yet been sent to the archives, so I believe I would need to publish in my official capacity.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] **U.S. Department of State**  
And [REDACTED] Independent Scholar

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Best,  
[REDACTED]

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**From:** Botet, Violanda **On Behalf Of** Ethics Attorney Mailbox  
**Sent:** Friday, February 26, 2010 1:45 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: Clearance to publish a paper

Regina - [REDACTED] B5

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Let me know if you need more. Violanda

Violanda Botet  
Attorney Adviser  
663-3097

**REVIEW AUTHORITY:** Barbara Nielsen,  
Senior Reviewer

**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 25, 2010 4:30 PM  
**To:** Ethics Attorney Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Clearance to publish a paper

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Hello,

[REDACTED] B5

Please let me know.

Best,

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
Division Chief, Acting  
Europe-Eurasia  
Office of Opinion Research (INR/OPN)  
[REDACTED]@state.gov

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M (PACE) [mailto:[MillerL.M@state.gov](mailto:MillerL.M@state.gov)] **On Behalf Of** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 25, 2010 4:11 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Clearance to publish a paper

PA clears with edits on pages 3, 4, 21, 23, and 24. Please be sure to clear with L/Ethics re remuneration – email - Ethics Attorney Mailbox. Thanks.

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**From:** [REDACTED] [mailto:[REDACTED]@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 23, 2010 12:07 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** Clearance to publish a paper

Hello,

A colleague of mine and I would like to be able to publish the attached paper in an academic journal. I am a DOS employee and my colleague is a DOS contractor. We use data collected by the Office of Opinion Research, with the permission of our front office.

Please let me know what we should do to receive PA clearance to proceed with the publication.

Best,

[redacted]  
**Division Chief, Acting**  
**Europe-Eurasia**  
**Office of Opinion Research (INR/OPN)**  
[redacted]@state.gov

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**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Miller, Lisa M (PACE) on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 24, 2010 11:42 AM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox; Fleming, John T  
**Subject:** FW: For clearance: Paper on Shia politics for Terrorism Monitor - Jamestown Foundation

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PA clears with edits. Also, PA suggest use of disclaimer. Thanks.

**From:** [mailto: [redacted]]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 16, 2010 1:46 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox; Fleming, John T  
**Subject:** For clearance: Paper on Shia politics for Terrorism Monitor - Jamestown Foundation

**REVIEW AUTHORITY:**  
Barbara Nielsen,  
Senior Reviewer

Hello,

The attached paper has been accepted for publication by the Jamestown Foundation Terrorism Monitor, and I am sending it for clearance. I am aware I am not legally able to accept payment for the article and will clarify with the editor.

Regards,

**From:** Andrew McGregor [redacted]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 16, 2010 12:40 PM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Subject:** Terrorism Monitor - Jamestown Foundation

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Hi [redacted]

I have attached an edited copy of your submission for Terrorism Monitor. Please have a look and let me know if there are any problems. I have inserted one request for a clarification (marked in red boldface type).

I asked Ramzy to forward some information but I have not heard back from him. I need the following:

1. A one line author's identification to follow the article; e.g. "[redacted] is (profession, location)."
2. A short bio of two to three lines for inclusion on the Jamestown website's analysts' page.
3. Your mailing address for payment.
4. Your SSN if you are an American citizen.

Thanks, Andrew

Dr. Andrew McGregor  
Editor, Jamestown Foundation Global Terrorism Analysis

All your Hotmail contacts on your phone. Try it now.

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**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Miller, Lisa M (PACE) on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 18, 2010 1:11 PM  
**To:** Downen, Robert [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: Status Check: DS Agent [REDACTED] Manuscript "Blue Planet"

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PA clears. Thanks.

**REVIEW AUTHORITY:** Barbara Nielsen, Senior Reviewer

**From:** Miller, Lisa M (PACE) **On Behalf Of PA Clearances Mailbox**  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 26 January, 2010 16:41  
**To:** Herschler, David H (PACE); Hove, Mark T (PACE)  
**Cc:** Garrett, Amy C (PACE); PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Status Check: DS Agent [REDACTED] Manuscript "Blue Planet"  
**Importance:** High

All: See email exchange below. I have emailed you the manuscript on the class side email. The file is 26MB – you may need to call the POEMS Help Desk and ask for more hard drive space if you cannot open the file. Thanks.

**From:** Downen, Robert [mailto:[DownenR@state.gov](mailto:DownenR@state.gov)]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 26, 2010 4:29 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox; Miller, Lisa M (PACE)  
**Subject:** RE: Status Check: DS Agent [REDACTED] Manuscript "Blue Planet"

Yes, the manuscript already has been reviewed and cleared within the DS Bureau as of 12/30/09, and the DSS Director advised us he has no objection to its publication, as of that date.

**Robert L. Downen**  
 Bureau of Diplomatic Security  
 DS/PA  
 U.S. Department of State  
[DownenR@state.gov](mailto:DownenR@state.gov)  
 phone: 571-345-2509

**From:** Miller, Lisa M (PACE) [mailto:[MillerLM@state.gov](mailto:MillerLM@state.gov)] **On Behalf Of PA Clearances Mailbox**  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 26, 2010 3:50 PM  
**To:** Downen, Robert; PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: Status Check: DS Agent [REDACTED] Manuscript "Blue Planet"

Yes – PA has received pending review – did DS clear?

**From:** Downen, Robert [mailto:[DownenR@state.gov](mailto:DownenR@state.gov)]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 26, 2010 2:15 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** Status Check: DS Agent [REDACTED] Manuscript "Blue Planet"

DS/PA would like to verify that PA Clearances has received a book manuscript for review, authored by DS Special Agent [redacted] titled "The Blue Planet: Informal International Police Networks and National Intelligence." The manuscript was prepared in connection with Agent [redacted] NDIC Research Fellowship and apparently would have been forwarded directly to PA by the Defense Intelligence Agency within the past month, as part of a dual-departmental (DoD-DoS) review procedure. DS has finished reviewing the manuscript and is tracking its status. Just seeking confirmation that it has been received for additional review by your offices.

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Thanks.

**Robert L. Downen**  
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phone: 571-345-2509

**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@cfr.org>  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 04, 2010 11:56 AM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: Another article for clearance: SAIS Review book review

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Thanks much! Will do.

REVIEW AUTHORITY: Barbara Nielsen, Senior Reviewer

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**From:** Miller, Lisa M (PACE) [MillerLM@state.gov] On Behalf Of PA Clearances Mailbox [paclearances@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 04, 2010 10:56 AM

**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Another article for clearance: SAIS Review book review

[REDACTED] PA clears your article "Do Surges Work?" - provided you use a disclaimer. NEA cleared with a few suggested edits/comments. Thanks.

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**From:** [REDACTED] [mailto:[REDACTED]]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 27, 2010 1:58 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** Another article for clearance: SAIS Review book review

Hello,

The attached article draft has been accepted for publication by the SAIS Review for its spring 2010 issue and I am submitting it for PA review and clearance. I understand this can take up to 30 days so I wanted to submit it as soon as possible to get the process started.

Regards,

[REDACTED]  
International Affairs Fellow  
Council on Foreign Relations  
Tel: [REDACTED]  
E-mail: [REDACTED]

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**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Miller, Lisa M (PACE) on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 27, 2010 6:18 PM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Cc:** WHA-Press; PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: publication for clearance

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The Bureau of Public Affairs (PA) has examined this document and has found that it does not violate the PA-specific guidelines for employees stated in 3 FAM 4170 -- related to review of materials of official concern prepared in an employee's private capacity -- provided the disclaimer attached below is included.

"The views expressed in this article are those of the author, and do not necessarily reflect those of the U.S. Department of State or the U.S. Government."

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**From:** [redacted] [mailto: [redacted]@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 25, 2010 2:18 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Cc:** Feldman, Mark E  
**Subject:** publication for clearance

Attached is a short introductory note for the publication *International Legal Materials* on a challenge to an arbitrator in a NAFTA Chapter 11 arbitration. It has been cleared by the Chief of NAFTA Arbitration, Mark Feldman.  
Could you please review and clear.

Thanks,

[redacted]  
X7-2007.

**REVIEW AUTHORITY:** Barbara Nielsen,  
Senior Reviewer

**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Powell, Tanya A on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, November 18, 2010 10:12 AM  
**To:** [redacted]  
**Cc:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** FW: Paper for clearance--conference this weekend

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**REVIEW AUTHORITY:** Barbara  
Nielsen, Senior Reviewer

PA/SGC Lois Herrmann and Abigail Morales clear the attached paper on "Russian Nuclear Cooperation with China and India" with edits on pages 13, 14, 1S, 20 and 21.

Thanks,  
Tanya

**From:** [redacted] [mailto:[redacted]@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, November 17, 2010 5:31 PM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Cc:** [redacted]  
**Subject:** Paper for clearance--conference this weekend

Hi Folks,

The attached paper on Russian civil nuclear exports to Asia is intended for presentation this Saturday in Los Angeles at the 2010 annual conference of the Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies. The panel is on Eurasian energy issues and foreign policy. I will not be reading the paper or distributing it. Rather, I will simply present its key points extemporaneously.

The following individuals have cleared on this paper at the policy desks:

- Deborah Miller—Russia Desk
- Sung Choi—China Desk
- Atul Keshap—India Desk

There will not be any press at the session, nor is it recorded. The paper does not include any discussion of U.S. policy at all—its focus is Russian foreign policy. I have included a disclaimer on the paper itself, and will make one before I start the presentation.

Kindly notify me of the status of this clearance by using my home email address: [redacted] I leave [redacted] B6 for Los Angeles on Thursday morning, and will not have access to my Department email addresses after I close up this evening. You can also reach me at my cellphone: [redacted]

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Thank you!



Senior Analyst  
Office of Analysis for Russia and Eurasia  
Bureau of Intelligence and Research  
U.S. Department of State  
Washington, DC 20520  
(202) 647-9202

This email is UNCLASSIFIED.

**Hartmann, Lorraine (Lori)**

**From:** Miller, Lisa M on behalf of PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 16, 2010 6:11 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]; PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** RE: Request for Clearance to serve as Commentator at Conference

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PA clears.

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**From:** [REDACTED] [mailto:[REDACTED]@state.gov]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 16, 2010 10:52 AM  
**To:** PA Clearances Mailbox  
**Subject:** Request for Clearance to serve as Commentator at Conference

Dear Colleagues,

I have been asked to serve as a commentator at a conference on Asian political development tomorrow, Thursday, June 17 at 1:00 PM. I have been given five minutes to sum up my impressions of two papers looking at the question "Is Russia a Great Power in Asia?" I am including the two papers, my instructions, and the agenda of the conference. There will be press at the conference, but I am told they will not likely bother to attend my session. I am not preparing any remarks—merely offering my impressions of the papers.

Please advise if you have any concerns.

Thanks,

REVIEW AUTHORITY: Barbara Nielsen,  
Senior Reviewer

[REDACTED]  
Office of Analysis for Russia and Eurasia  
Bureau of Intelligence and Research  
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